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Water Bond Election Is Tentatively Set by City Trustees for March 25th

Tuesday, March 25, was tentatively agreed upon last night by the city trustees as the date for the water bond election. At that time the voters will have an opportunity to pass upon the question of issuing \$75,000 in bonds for the improvement of the water system and development of water.

The first step in the proceedings was the adoption of a resolution of necessity, which was done last night. While this resolution calls for an issue of \$80,000, it is proposed to sell only \$75,000 worth as previously announced.

The total of the issue is set at \$80,000 because the issue must run for 40 years and be retired in equal parts each year. The higher figure permits division into bonds of an even \$1,000 which will sell much more readily. They are so much more marketable that Attorney Baker said he had been advised by bond men that they would sell readily at five and one-half per cent, whereas bonds of smaller uneven amounts would have to pay 6 per cent. After the bonds are authorized and issued, they need not be sold except as needed, and the extra \$5000 is expected to be held by the city as if the issue were only \$75,000.

Cemetery Issue Delayed

No action was taken last night on the proposal to enlarge the cemetery zone because no report has been received from the state board of health on the possible effect on the city water supply. Chairman Mitchell announced that the ordinance would not be taken up for formal consideration, but invited anyone interested to speak.

Col. Herman Hall presented a petition, signed by a large number of citizens, protesting aga'st the action. J. W. Strickland spoke briefly in opposition. W. E. Doty said while he favored the plan he thought some bond should be required of the purchasers of the property involved to ensure carrying out of the plans for parking and beautification in accordance with assurances given orally at the last meeting of the board, which Chairman Mitchell agreed was a wise suggestion.

H. R. Coit said he would not speak for or against the plan but believed the city should proceed cautiously. He thought some safeguard should be provided for people of small means who could not afford burial in a place as expensive as it was proposed to make this cemetery.

Montecito Opening

Whether or not the time is ripe for the opening of Montecito avenue, between Lima and Sunnyside, was the subject of a lengthy discussion. Chairman Sparks of the street committee said the committee had talked with Mrs. V. E. Colwell, present owner of the land, who said she was opposed to the proceedings. Her son, Max Colwell, was present and informed the board they did not think there was any necessity for opening the street now, that it would be unjust to them to force the expense on them for the benefit of owners and subdividers of adjoining land.

E. A. Miller said he had waited two years on the promise of R. A. Fowler, former owner of the land, that he would not oppose the opening of the street through the block. Members of the board recalled that Mr. Fowler had said in the council chamber that he would abide by whatever the board decided.

Mr. Miller said he and W. A. Evans had replatted their land on that assurance, providing for the opening of the street. He had gone to the expense of installing paving, curb, sidewalks and piping and thought the development of the west end justified proceeding at once. Attorney Baker said the board of trustees was the sole judge of the necessity for the street opening. But thought those favoring the project should

bring in a petition with a majority of the frontage represented so the work could not be protested.

Grand View Vacation

Protest was received from the Chamber of Commerce against vacation of the stub end of East Grand View avenue beyond Santa Anita avenue, without assurance that there would be a direct outlet for Grand View to the eastward. George Norris and C. J. Pegler spoke in support of the protest, which was well taken by the board. It was decided to notify the Cook-Woodley interests that such provision would be required.

Laurel Avenue

Ordinance of intention for the improvement of Laurel avenue between Baldwin and Mountain Trail, and Merrill avenue, between Laurel and Highland, was adopted. A petition was also received for the improvement of Laurel between Baldwin and Auburn under the 1911 bond act. This was referred to the city engineer for verification.

School Auto Stops

A communication from the school trustees asked that some provision be made for ensuring safety from auto traffic in the neighborhood of the public school. Reckless driving by many persons was complained of. The matter was referred to Street Superintendent Udell with power to make some suitable regulation.

GRAND MATRON OF O. E. S. TO BE HONOR GUEST

Officers and members of Sierra Madre Chapter No. 299 will join with the two Pasadena chapters on Tuesday night in giving a reception to the Grand Matron, Mrs. Maude Bigelow Sibley at Pasadena Masonic Temple. The officers of each chapter will exemplify a part of the ritual work.

Next Monday evening the chapter will hold its regular meeting. Business and initiation of candidates will be in order.

The ladies of the chapter will meet again at one o'clock next Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. L. Twycross to sew on costumes for their vaudeville entertainment to be given Friday, February 29.

GARAGE WILL HAVE SPLENDID DISPLAY ROOM

Alterations now in progress at the Sierra Madre Garage will provide display room in keeping with the oldest and largest auto agency in town. Milton Steinberger, proprietor, and Ford agent, proposes to have room to display most of the Ford family at one time.

By closing the west driveway and taking out the partitions, the whole front of the west building is thrown into one room 50 feet long and 20 feet deep, with a partition to divide it from the shop in the rear. A private office in the northwest corner of the room will accommodate the accounting department. The stock room and east driveway will remain unchanged.

The new display room will have artistic wall decorations and will be a substantial improvement for the West Central avenue business frontage.

Miss Edith Jones entertained at her home on East Central avenue last night. About twenty-four young people were present. The house was charmingly decorated appropriate to St. Valentine's Day. Games were played, and dancing was enjoyed during the evening. When dainty refreshments were served the guests were pleasantly surprised by finding on the icing of their cake a candy heart disclosing the information that Miss Jones will be married to Roy Warden on July 12 of this year.

"It is for us, the living, to be increased devotion to the cause for birth of freedom—and that government of the people, by the people, which they gave that last full measure of devotion—that we here highly resolve . . . that these dead shall not have died in vain—that this nation, under God, shall have a new dress, 1863."

(From Lincoln's Gettysburg Address)

Reciprocity Day Draws Many Delighted Guests To Sierra Madre Club

MRS. E. H. CARPENTER
Press Chairman

Reciprocity Day of the Sierra Madre Woman's Club on Wednesday was fully up to the expectations born of weeks of careful planning and busy preparation. The reputation of the Sierra Madre club as hostesses always draws a capacity crowd to the annual "at home," when the other clubs of the district send their representatives to exchange courtesies and club ideas.

In a program as varied as the one outlined many things may creep in to mar the perfection of the whole. It was, therefore, gratifying to the Board that everything moved so smoothly.

There were officers of the General Federation of Woman's Clubs, of the California State Federation, of the Southern District, and of our own Los Angeles District present. A day

of real California beauty, a setting of soft-toned loveliness and the graciousness of the hostess-president, Mrs. Lawless, made the day one of joy to those who came so far to share the program. Chief among these were Mrs. Osgood's guests—California's pioneer club women, co-workers and students who paid tribute to her in love and deep sincerity. Mrs. Osgood and the room bearing her name were the recipients of many lovely gifts. The charter members of the Sierra Madre club, with Mrs. W. S. Andrews as chairman, presented a lovely palm and a taboret. Mrs. E. K. Foster gave two lovely pictures and the Friday morning club gave a charming piece of work, a cast of "Meditation," which is happily placed on the wistaria mantel. Mr. Glidden's gift to this room. A lovely basket of sweet peas, sent by three members of her first kindergarten class, was presented to Mrs. Osgood at luncheon time.

Morning Program

The morning program was opened by singing and the reading of the American's Creed.

Mrs. Osgood greeted the club guests and Mrs. Murray, an officer of the General Federation, was the first speaker. Mrs. Murray outlined the work of this great Federation and spoke particularly of the Biennial work, stressing the fact that the world court will be a main point to be considered at the time of the convention, although it is not the main point to be emphasized.

Mrs. Urquhart, state president, dearly beloved by all club members, followed Mrs. Murray and spoke of "Redwood Memories," of the inspiration gained in the shadows of the redwood majesties and the birth of the spiritual force which guides the present administration. In the Redwoods California has an unique gift for the Federation, and it is our duty to do everything possible toward saving the trees for posterity.

The Redwoods was also the subject chosen by Mrs. Lorbeer, vice-president of the Los Angeles district, who handled it from the angle of "The Memorial Grove." Since Mrs. Lorbeer was at one time chairman of Forests, Waters and Parks for the Conservation Department the subject is one with which she is thoroughly familiar. The movement to "save the Redwoods" is one of great interest and the aid of California's club women is being sought in the effort to preserve the trees from the inroads now being made on them by the private lumber companies.

Following Mrs. Lorbeer, Mrs. Toll, district president, brought a message of cheer and encouragement to her co-workers, touching on man's expansion of thought toward woman's work and emphasizing the constant need of co-operation and understanding. Mrs. Toll and Mrs. Margaret Force Thayer led the President's Symposium, during which many topics of interest were brought up and enlarged upon.

The Girls of St. Catherine are planning a Saturday supper to be held at the Parish House on the evening of March First.

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Civic Dinner Much Enjoyed In New Room

The monthly dinner of the Civic Association Monday evening was well attended and a thoroughly enjoyable affair. The splendid chicken pie dinner was served in the new Wistaria room of the club house, which was taxed to capacity, with about 125 persons being served. The menu was worthy of the beautiful room in which it was served.

After dinner the company moved to the auditorium, and the subsequent program was much more enjoyable than if given amid the after-dinner wreckage where auditorium and dining room are the same.

Mr. Gilbert Wilson who, with his wife, is a recent comer, spoke of the Wistaria city in such glowing terms as to win his audience at the start. He then proceeded to win them a second time by his rendering of three songs, "A Khaki Lad," "A Ramblin' Irishman," and "Give a Man a Horse He Can Ride." Those who heard Mr. Wilson's splendid use of his pleasing baritone voice will not be likely to miss any opportunity to hear him again.

The speaker of the evening was Miss Loy Galpin, principal of the Eagle Rock public school. She was listened to with that delighted attention which is the highest possible compliment. Miss Galpin dwelt upon the ideals of Abraham Lincoln and upon the pioneering spirit which is our distinctively American heritage, not applied merely to tangible frontiers, but to the intellectual and spiritual progress of the race. She very subtly conveyed to her hearers her large outlook upon education as a whole.

Several matters of public interest were afterward discussed in open forum, conducted by the genial president, W. E. Doty. It is inevitable that there should be differences of opinion on such subjects, and it was cause for favorable comment that they could be discussed with such sincere effort towards impartiality and that true community spirit which is the inspiration and the goal of the Civic Association.

Notice was given of a luncheon for Sierra Madre commuters, to be given next Monday at the City Club in Los Angeles. Various questions will be discussed, including transportation and other matters of special interest to commuters.

Five Places To Be Filled At Election

Three trustees, a clerk and treasurer will be chosen at the biennial city election to be held Monday, April 14. The time has come for casting hats in the ring. Nominating petitions may be filed from Feb. 14 up to March 25.

Trustees Karicofe, Richards and Porter are the trustees whose terms expire. The successors to Messrs. Karicofe and Richards will serve full four-year terms. The successor to Mr. Porter will be elected for two years as he was appointed to fill an unexpired term and serves only until the next succeeding election.

The regular terms of City Clerk Louis Dietz and City Treasurer Carlton J. Pegler expire this year. Their successors will accordingly be chosen for full four-year terms.

New registration will be required for the city election. No one can vote who has not registered in his precinct since Jan. 1 of this year. This will also be true of the city bond election which is expected to be held on March 25.

To accommodate voters who have not yet registered Mrs. Mary A. White, deputy county registrar, will spend each afternoon of next week, except Friday, at the city hall. The hours will be from 1 to 5 o'clock.

LODGE MEMBERS ATTEND SCHOOL

This afternoon and evening members and officers of the Masonic lodge are attending the annual district school of instruction directed by Grand Lecturer T. J. Baker, at Monrovia Masonic Temple. The local lodge has been transferred to a new district under supervision of Inspector L. M. Renaker of Monrovia. The other lodges in the district are Monrovia, Arcadia, San Gabriel and El Monte.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Twycross entertained with a family dinner last Sunday in honor of the birthday anniversary of her father, Mr. J. D. Sparks. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Sparks, Miss Louise Pearson and Mr. and Mrs. Pittenger of Glendale.

NEWS WANT ADS PAY

Getting profits out of by-products of the orange and lemon groves will be the topic of an interesting address to be given by Col. A. B. Shaw at the monthly meeting of the Men's Community Club in the Congregational church next Thursday night.

The Orange and Lemon By-Products association is an auxiliary of the California Fruit Growers' Exchange and is an important factor in the welfare of the whole foothill territory. Col. Shaw is an interesting speaker and the public is invited to hear him.

Dinner Comes First

The regular dinner of the club will be served at 6:30 by the ladies of the Aid Society. At these dinners the men, whether members of the club or not, are welcome, the nominal fee of 50 cents being much less than the standard of the dinners deserve. Tickets should be obtained in advance from Mr. Shaffer, Mr. Twycross or at Hartman's drug store.

The program with Col. Shaw's address will follow the dinner at 7:30.

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WOMAN'S CLUB NOTES

(Continued from Page One) Day, not more than an hour was taken for the seating of the guests in the luncheon room and for the luncheon itself, which was served with the least possible effort by the club members. Mrs. Osgood, surrounded by her special guests, graced a round table at the north end of the room dedicated to her and could glance down the length of the once "waste porch space" to a round table at the other end of the room at which were seated some of the club's charter members. She bridged the years that have passed since the founding of the club, rejoicing with all the new members that a steadfastness of purpose has kept together the original group and enlarged to its present membership—the club as it now stands.

Afternoon Session

At the afternoon session Dennis Stovall, always interesting, spoke, following the singing of America, and the flag salute. His subject, "Boy Conservation," was one near and dear to his heart and the forcefulness and sincerity of purpose expressed by him made each woman present ashamed of her own feeble activities.

"The problem," Mr. Stovall says, "is not a boy problem, but an adult problem," and he lays the blame for the appalling conditions of juvenile crime at the door of the "jazz" thought with its attitude of disregard of the ideals so important to building up men strong of heart with a sense of honor and truth, firm in their convictions of right.

Boulder Dam

Mr. Burdette Moody treated the subject of conservation from the viewpoint of the conservation of natural resources and spoke on the proposed Boulder dam and the Swing-Johnson bill which will make this plan operative. The Colorado river in its uncertain course and unstable channels is a source of menace now—whereas, by impounding its waters at a point in the mountains of southeast Nevada, power could be developed, irrigation stabilized and assured and an additional supply of water made available for civic use.

Civil Liberty was next approached, the speaker on the subject being Rev. Clinton Taft, member of the American Civil Liberties Union, who is a strong advocate of individualism and freedom of speech.

Starting Children Right

The real treat of the afternoon came in the too brief talk given by Miss Eleanor Miller, assemblywoman. Her plea was for the youth of the community that it might be given a fair chance. She argued that a dollar invested in the nurseries run in connection with the kindergartens in industrial districts was far better spent than when expended on Ione and Folsom and San Quentin. Miss Miller is an ardent believer in parental schools and advocates stopping crime at its source rather than waiting until the juvenile courts and reform schools have to be taxed by the youthful criminal. His energies, properly developed in his early life, might lead to build up rather than

tear down the established laws. Miss Miller is a forceful speaker of firm convictions.

Art Exhibit

Apart from its significant relation to the subject matter of the Conservation program given Reciprocity Day, the Art exhibit shown at the Woman's Club house Wednesday was one of rare charm and merit and was left at the club house until the school children could be brought to see it. Miss Steinberger felt that there was an important lesson to be learned in viewing this notable collection of California pictures and for that reason as well as that of developing their love of beauty, brought the children down class by class.

To those privileged to have seen the great Redwood groves the message of the spoken word was intensified by the pictures of those wonderful trees done by Cora Huff Wright of Eureka, and so well hung on the south wall and on the stage. On that wall, too, were hung a group of pictures by Charles Percy Austin, typifying the lights and shadows of our great southwestern deserts.

A group of California scenes was brought to us from the Biltmore Salon in pictures by Katherine Leighton, Hanson Puttoff, Jack Wilkinson Smith, Franz Bischoff and Joseph Kleitch. In these the mountain majesties of our high Sierras vied with the repose of the verbenacled sand dunes and the restless movement of the sea. A well chosen group, indeed. "The Mountain," by Freemont Ellis graced the north wall of the building and "Rhododendrons," a picture of Washington's wonderful Rose Bay, by Ella Shepard Bush, was hung on the stage arch, supplying a note of bright and lovely color.

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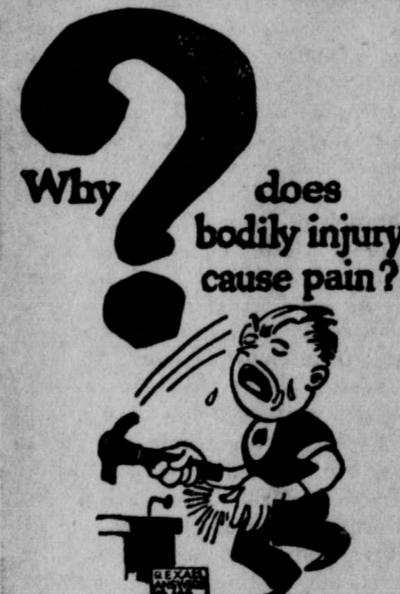
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ASSESSMENT FOR POSTER EXPENSE

Members of the Womans' club have agreed to stand a third of the expense of providing posters for advertising the Fennel Wistaria and the club fete to be held during the blooming season. To avoid taking the money out of the treasury it was decided to ask the members to contribute 25¢ each to the fund. It will aid materially if these contributions are left with Mrs. N. M. Mesecar who has been designated by the president, Mrs. Lawless, to act as chairman and receive the donations. The Civic Association and Chamber of Commerce will share the expense.

P. W. Stecker of Ogden, Utah, was a visitor Thursday at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Hortense Hill.

ST. RITA'S PARTY IS POSTPONED

The members of St. Rita's Club, who had planned on giving a dance and card party in the parish hall on the evening of Friday, Feb. 29, have postponed their affair to Tuesday, Mar. 4, so that it will not conflict with the vaudeville entertainment to be given by the Eastern Star on the earlier date.

WITH INVESTMENT HOUSE
George L. Kelley of Lamanda Park, formerly one of Sierra Madre's best all-around hustlers, has just associated himself with the Pasadena Investment house of Edwin J. Shaut. In company with R. C. Lindsay he was calling on Sierra Madre friends this week and will make regular calls in this territory for the accommodation of persons wishing good counsel on securities.

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SCOUT DINNER PLANNED TO BE BANNER EVENT

That the Washington's Birthday supper, which is to be given the scouts of Troop One, Sierra Madre, at the Woman's Club house, on the evening of February 22, will be a banner event for the boys is now an assured fact. The women and mothers of the P.T.A. who have the affair in charge are sparing no effort to make a big success of the affair. Not only will it be enjoyed by the Scouts, but also by their mothers and dads. Entertainment for the evening will be supplied by the troop and the association, and will be largely music and fun, so as to make it a jolly good time for all.

In order to give the supper, without cost to the Scouts, tickets for the event will be sold to mothers, dads and friends at a charge of 65 cents. Scouts from the several patrols will dispose of these this coming week. In addition to this, extra funds will be needed to defray the expense of the affair. A special patrol will call on friends of the troop this coming week, so that an opportunity can be given to help. As stated before, no subscriptions are to be asked, and no "gimme" talks indulged in at this supper.

MAJOR FLOYD RESIGNS POST OF SECRETARY

Resignation of Major Charles S. Floyd as secretary of the Chamber of Commerce was received at the meeting of the directors on Monday night. Keen regret was expressed by all. One cause was the thought of losing the valuable services of Major Floyd. Another was the condition of health which seemed to make necessary the giving up of the burden of the position. The matter of securing a successor was taken under advisement, as Major Floyd agreed to carry on the work until the end of the month. His letter of resignation follows:

11 February, 1924

The Board of Directors,
Sierra Madre Chamber of Commerce,
Gentlemen:

I wish to submit herewith my resignation as Secretary of the Sierra Madre Chamber of Commerce, effective February 29, 1924.

I regret that the state of my health makes it imperative for me to sever my connection with the organization, as I have a sincere interest in its work and believe that it is operating effectively for the welfare and progress of our city.

I wish to thank you for and express my appreciation of the cordial relations which have always existed between you and myself.

Yours very truly,

C. S. FLOYD

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Night Watchman—Here, then; hold my lantern.—Black and Blue Jay.

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If you had \$500,000 to spend for the benefit and Christian welfare of Sierra Madre, how would you expend it? This interesting question will be discussed by a number of prominent citizens and young people at the Sunday evening service in the Congregational church.

Many possibilities undoubtedly suggest themselves to various people. The question beneath them is, can Christian ideals be applied in the working out of a community program and in the spending of civic funds? The world is anxious for the application of such principles in working out the problems of everyday life. Everybody is invited to be present and participate in the discussion. Special music will feature the service.

At the morning service Dr. Tate will speak on "The Character of Abraham Lincoln."

SCOUTS GUESTS OF WISTARIA THIS EVENING

Through the courtesy of Manager Brown of the Wistaria motion picture theater, all of the scouts of Troop One were invited to attend the show on Friday evening of this week. The troop marched in a body to the new playhouse, and were given seats reserved for the patrols. The boys enjoyed the fine program and gave the generous-hearted manager a big cheer for the evening's treat.

ASSISTANT IN BEAUTY PARLOR

Miss Margaret Biller of 65 W. Montecito, who recently graduated from a Philadelphia beauty parlor, has been secured by Mrs. Orcina Kellogg to assist in her shop in the Central Garage building. By giving prompt and courteous service, since starting a beauty parlor business here over a year ago, Mrs. Kellogg has built up a splendid business.

She feels that, due to ill health, the services of a competent assistant are necessary so that she can continue to turn out superior work.

NEWS WANTADS PAY



HUSH baby, my doll.
And don't you cry—
We're going to a party by-and-byes;
You look very nice
In that pretty dress—
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NEARLY HALF STATE'S AUTOS IN THE COUNTY

A report made public by Will H. Marsh, chief of the California Division of Motor Vehicles, shows a total of 430,335 motor vehicles were registered in Los Angeles county during 1923. This total is exclusive of trailers, non resident and dealers registrations and exemptions.

Registrations for the county were shown as follows: Automobiles, 410,517; trucks, 15,065; motorcycles, 4753. There were also 2151 trailers registered in the county during the year.

The division collected a total of \$9,756,789.44 during the year in motor vehicles which will be spent on state and county highways, half by the state and half by the counties. Los Angeles county's share of this money will amount to \$1,838,230, being based on the number of registrations. The report stated the division operated on less than three per cent of the total collections during the year.

Motor vehicle registrations for the entire state amounted to 1,114,977. This was a gain of 27 per cent over 1922. The total was divided as follows: automobiles, 1,056,756; trucks, 43,527; motorcycles, 14,693.

A BAD BREAK

He (teaching her to drive)—In case of emergency the first thing you want to do is to put on the brake.

She—Why, I thought it came with the car.—Purple Parrot.

SWINGING HIM

He—May I occupy part of your hammock tonight?

She (sweetly)—You may occupy all of it. Pete and I are going to a dance.—Cornell Widow.

THAT'S ALL, FRED

This End of the Wire: "Say, may I see you tonight, Jane?"

That End of the Same: "Just a minute, I'll ask Freddy when he's going home."—Frivol.

RANDALL WILL SOUND KEYNOTE AT CONVENTION

After three months spent in Washington, D. C., former Congressman Charles H. Randall of Pasadena returned home on Saturday. Mr. Randall brought back information to the effect that the candidates for president and vice president on the Prohibition ticket will be nominated at a convention to be held in Columbus, Ohio, June 5. He is to be temporary chairman and will sound the keynote address of the Prohibitionists.

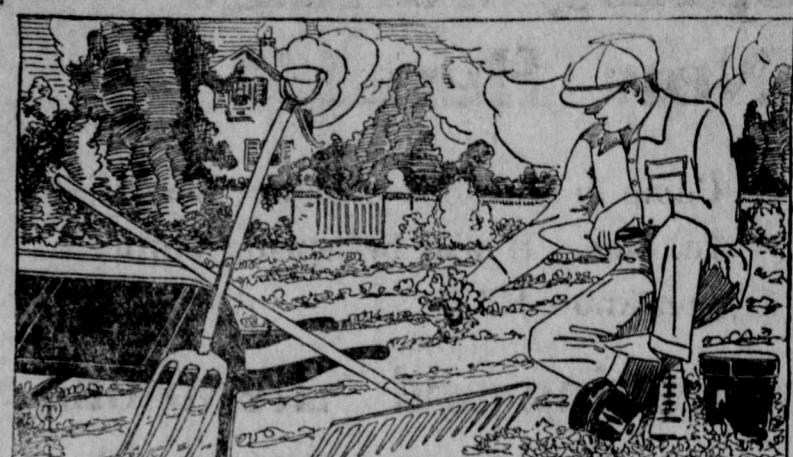
Mr. Randall was sent to Washington by national dry organizations at the opening of congress to watch the interests of supporters of "dry" legislation. The judiciary committee, which handles all "dry" legislation in the house, Mr. Randall reports, has more "dry" members than the same committee in the preceding congress. The leaders of both parties when approached by Mr. Randall promised to designate an increased number of "drys" on this committee and both kept their word, although the seniority rule resulted in the choice of a "wet" chairman by the Republicans.

When asked about the purposes of the "dry" party in making a presidential nomination, Mr. Randall said that "the dry ticket would stay in the field unless one or the other of the old parties make an absolutely safe nomination from the dry enforcement standpoint.

"The present farce of enforcement fools nobody," he continued. "The Federal Enforcement Bureau conceals within its ramifications vast corruption and malfeasance. The Teapot Dome and the veterans' bureau scandals will look like 30 cents if the millions of dollars reaped by fake enforcement officers appointed by political influences is ever exposed."

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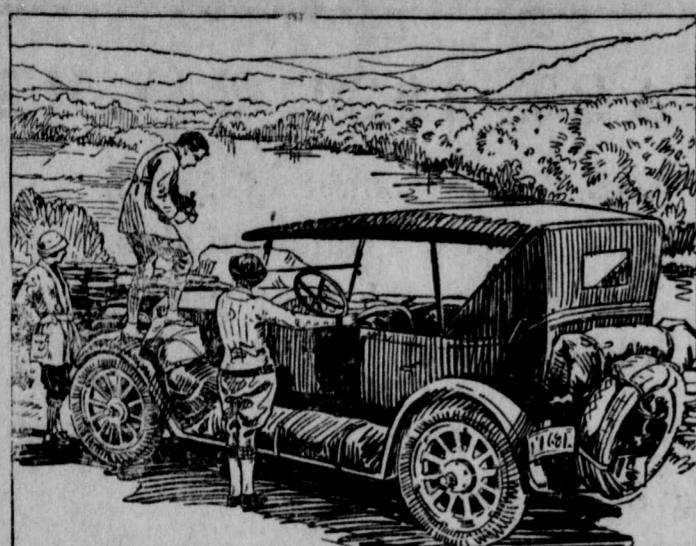
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DRY WEATHER GARDEN NOTES FOR FEBRUARY

By Jessie Ward

Planting has been delayed this year because of the lack of rainfall, but it should not be delayed any longer. Just go ahead and plant and irrigate or it will be too late to plant a great deal of stock that must be in at this time of year.

All plants are more or less dormant now and can be easily transplanted. This is especially true of the deciduous ornamental and fruit trees, grapevines and berries.

This is the best time to plant wistaria vines as they, too, are deciduous now and can be easily moved in their bare roots. Even large plants can be moved with safety if the roots are carefully dug and are not allowed to become dry in moving.

Grafted wistaria are to be preferred to seedlings as they come into bloom right away, while seedlings may take five or six years to mature.

Grafted wistaria can be had in purple, white and pink, also in double purple.

Time for Pruning

If you have not already pruned your rose bushes, do it now. The old wood should be cut out where possible. The new growth of last season should be retained, as it is the blooming wood. Climbing roses are harder to prune as the old and new wood becomes so tangled it is difficult to cut. Prune out the old wood where you can and cut off the runners that have become too long. Deciduous fruit trees must be pruned very soon or it will be too late; also grapevines.

Deciduous flowering shrubs, such as lilacs, bridal-wreaths, etc., should not be pruned until after they flower.

Lawn Treatment

Lawns should be cut close, raked over to get out the Bermuda grass and given a dressing of sheep fertilizer. Bare spots in the lawn can be spaded up, fertilized and sown to blue grass and clover seed.

New lawns will start well at this time of year. It is best to prepare the soil and water for two or three weeks before sowing the seed so that the weed seeds can germinate and be hoed down. This will save a lot of work and grief afterwards.

Banks on which blue grass will not thrive, can be planted to Lippia. It will make a good lawn substitute.

Bulb Plants

Gladioli bulbs can be planted now. Some of the flowers of the newer sorts are very large and have gorgeous colors.

Dahlias, cannas and iris can be divided and reset now. Also the perennials, such as Shasta daisies, Gazanias and chrysanthemums, can be divided now. Chrysanthemums, however, will do best if new plants are set out each year from cuttings.

Spray deciduous fruit trees with Bordeaux mixture before the buds expand; that means right away.

Plant lice or aphids on roses, etc., can be controlled with a spray of "Black-leaf 40."

"Let me kiss away your tears, sweetheart," he whispered passionately.

She fell into his arms, and he was busy for a moment, but the tears flowed on.

"Can nothing stop them?" he begged.

"Nothing," she replied. "It's hay fever. But go on with the treatment."—Virginia Reel.

Pictures that never were taken

You never found a family album containing pictures of "Hours with the wash tub."

There used to be plenty of such hours, but they weren't the kind people like to remember with photographs.

Today, instead of the pictures that never were taken, you will find many scenes of hours with the children. For the modern mother lets "Rough Dry Service" do all her washing and iron her flat-work, and finds the time and energy saved worth far more than the slight cost of the service.

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AUTO THEFT FIRST MOVE OF CRIMINAL

All Southern California is watching with interest the drive in Los Angeles county to round up automobile thieves. This intensive campaign was begun by the sheriff's office, the city police department and the theft bureau of the Automobile Club of Southern California, following reports for January which showed that automobile losses by theft reached their peak in that month.

According to testimony of officers, reducing the number of auto thefts will automatically decrease the number of major crimes, as the first step in a holdup or burglary is the theft of a motor vehicle for a speedy escape.

To stimulate interest, the Automobile Insurance Carriers Theft Prevention Association will pay a minimum reward of \$50 for the arrest and conviction of any automobile thief in Los Angeles County. Heretofore \$25 has been paid for the return of a stolen car, but this reward had little effect in apprehending the thief.

Soph—Why don't you work your way through college?

Fresh—My father has always taught me never to interfere with his affairs.—Ranger.

The Sheik (after forty minutes' conversation): "Hello, Central, can't I get a better line?"

Central (who has heard most it) "What's the matter with the one you have?"—Goblin.

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O: Who's that lady I heard in your room?

K: That ain't no lady; that's my Victrola.—Lampoon.

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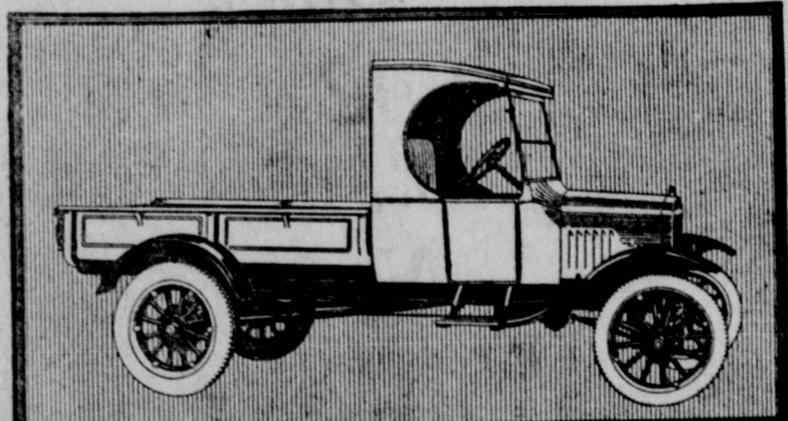
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HANDLING OF CITY SEWAGE

Modern sewage disposal was the subject of the address by J. E. Calkins of San Dimas at the Chamber of Commerce luncheon on Tuesday at the Sierra Madre Cafe. He reviewed the sewage problem from the earliest times to the present, touching on the various methods of disposal—the emptying into waterways and bodies, chemical treatment, mechanical treatment and farming, and giving a fuller account of treatments making use of bacterial action.

Mr. Calkins told of the different types using various classes of bacteria and how the use of the two main classes may be embodied in the same plant, making for the more complete liquefaction of the sewage and the resultant easy disposal of the treated matter. The talk was most interesting and served to point the way to the solution of Sierra Madre's eventual problem in this matter.

George E. Mesecar, Pacific Electric agent, will be chairman next Tuesday. The name of the speaker cannot be announced but the topic will be some phase of interurban transportation.

CIVIC FLOAT IS AWARDED SILVER VASE

Recognition of the beautiful float entered by the Sierra Madre Civic association in the Pasadena New Year Parade, was given in the form of a handsome silver vase received this week. The vase is nearly two feet high, of a simple but beautiful design and bears the inscription: "Pasadena Tournament of Roses, January 1st, 1924—Special Prize Civic Bodies—Presented by Sun Drug Co.—Awarded to Sierra Madre Civic Association."

The vase is now on display in the window of the Civic Association office in the Press building.

RESOLUTION NO. 171

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE CITY OF SIERRA MADRE, IN THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, DETERMINING THAT THE PUBLIC INTEREST AND NECESSITY DEMAND THE ACQUISITION, CONSTRUCTION AND COMPLETION BY SAID CITY OF THE FOLLOWING MUNICIPAL IMPROVEMENTS, TO-WIT: THE ACQUISITION, CONSTRUCTION AND COMPLETION OF IMPROVEMENTS TO THE WATERWORKS OF THE CITY OF SIERRA MADRE, NECESSARY AND PROPER FOR SUPPLYING WATER FOR THE USE OF SAID CITY AND ITS INHABITANTS, AND FOR IRRIGATING PURPOSES THEREIN; THE COST OF WHICH WILL BE TOO GREAT TO BE PAID OUT OF THE ORDINARY ANNUAL INCOME AND REVENUE OF SAID CITY.

Be it resolved and determined by the Board of Trustees of the City of Sierra Madre as follows:

Section 1. That the public interest and necessity demand the acquisition, construction and completion by said City of Sierra Madre of the following Municipal improvements, to-wit:

The acquisition, construction and completion of improvements to the waterworks of the City of Sierra Madre, necessary and proper for supplying water for the use of said City and its inhabitants, and for irrigating purposes therein,

And that such improvements are necessary and convenient to carry out the objects, purposes and powers of said City.

Section 2. That the estimated cost of said Municipal improvements is the sum of Eighty Thousand (\$80,000.00) Dollars.

And that the cost of said Municipal improvements is and will be too great to be paid out of the ordinary annual income and revenue of said City.

Section 3. The City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this Resolution by a vote of two-thirds of all the members of the Board of Trustees of the City of Sierra Madre, and its approval by the President of said Board, and shall thereupon cause the same to be published once in the Sierra Madre News, a weekly newspaper of general circulation, published and circulated in said City of Sierra Madre. Adopted and approved this 14th day of February, 1924.

ROBERT MITCHELL,
President of the Board of Trustees,
of the City of Sierra Madre, Calif.
(Seal)

Attest: L. DIETZ,
City Clerk of the City of Sierra

Madre.
State of California,
County of Los Angeles,
City of Sierra Madre, ss.

I, L. Dietz, City Clerk of the City of Sierra Madre, do hereby certify that the whole number of members of the Board of Trustees of the City of Sierra Madre is five, and that the foregoing Resolution was duly passed and adopted by vote of two-thirds of its members at a regular meeting thereof held February 14, 1924, and approved by the President of said Board on said date, and that it was passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Trustees Karicoffe, Richards, Sparks, Porter and Mitchell.

Noes: None; Absent: None.
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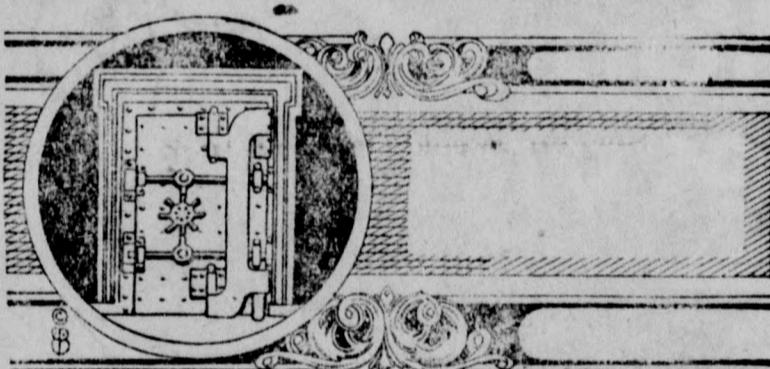
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NOTABLE WORK AMONG MINES BY MR. RIGNEY

Thomas P. Rigney passed away Sunday morning, Feb. 10th, at the family home, 113 W. Carter Ave.

A native of Philadelphia, Pa., Mr. Rigney went to Colorado at an early age. His profession as a mining engineer connected him prominently with the leading mining camps of that state as well as those of Utah, Nevada, Arizona and California; also throughout this entire territory many monuments in the form of reservoirs and dams testify to his skill as an irrigation engineer.

In the hearts of his wife and children he leaves the memory of a loving, tender personality—a brave spirit—an unfaltering faith and a brilliant mind undimmed by suffering.

In 1894 Mr. Rigney married Minerva Nevins of Colorado Springs, Colo., who survives him with three children, Harold N. Rigney of Long Beach, Robert M. Rigney of Santa Monica and Phyllis A. Rigney of Sierra Madre.

Impressive funeral services were held Tuesday morning at the Church of St. Augustine-by-the-Sea, Santa Monica.

"BLACK OXEN" IS UNUSUAL DRAMA

Many times has it been proved that it isn't always possible to make a good photodrama from a best-selling novel, but those who attend the Colonial Theatre will have occasion to say that in producing "Black Oxen," a First National picture, Frank Lloyd has made the most popular story of 1923 into one of the most exceptional dramas the screen has yet seen. "Black Oxen" was a great novel; those who have seen it screened aver that it is a greater film story.

"Black Oxen" is no common drama. It does not smack of anything that is ordinary, in any scene. It is a modern drama of society life and behind all of the spirited action and deep human touches, so artistically blended, there is an air of true social life.

LADIES MEET AT REAS HOME

The meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of the Congregational church next Tuesday, Feb. 19, at 2:30 will be a social meeting at the home of Mrs. Reas, 225 San Gabriel court. Mrs. Leggett and Mrs. Kortkamp will act as assistant hostesses and Mrs. Campbell will have charge of the entertainment, so that a delightful afternoon is assured. All members are urged to be present.

WOMANS CLUB GIVING DANCE

There will be a dance, a St. Valentine's masque, at the Woman's Club house this evening. Cards and mah jongg, too. Good music and refreshments and the admission as usual, 50 cents and tax.

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11:00 a. m.—Morning service.
Subject Feb. 17, "Soul."
8:00 p. m. Wednesday—Testimonial meeting.

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Rev. Wm. Carson Shaw, Rector.
Sunday Services:
8:00 a. m.—Holy Communion.
9:45 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Morning Prayer and sermon.

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9:45 a. m.—Sunday school, Doctor F. H. Cram, superintendent. Bible Class, Mr. C. E. Needham, teacher.
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship.
6:15 p. m.—Young People's service.

7:30 p. m.—Evening service.
Midweek meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Welcome to all.

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She—Well, I'd suggest that you get some fresh air—Southern California Wampus.

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Edwin H. Carpenter, 101 East Alvarado Avenue, Sierra Madre, California.

Witness his hand this 15th day of January, 1924.

EDWIN H. CARPENTER.

State of California, County of Los Angeles.

On this 15th day of January, 1924, before me, Gertrude P. Peters, Notary Public, in and for the said County and State, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally Edwin H. Carpenter, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year in this certificate first above written.

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Tomato Sauce, Newmark's Extra	7c
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WOMAN'S CLUB SECTION NOTES

The Parliamentary Law class met for its last lesson on Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Osgood instructing and entertaining the members at her home on West Montecito street. To express, in some measure, their appreciation of all that Mrs. Osgood has done for them the class presented her with a handbag.

Since Mrs. Osgood had requested each member to come prepared to tell a story, sing a song or dance a jig in the hour of frivolity following the lesson, the group gathered around the fireplace in the hospitable warmth of its glow was a merry one and loth to leave their hostess, their teacher and their very beloved friend.

On Monday afternoon, Feb. 15, the Drama department will meet and after hearing a review of "The Fool," will read Arms and the Man.

LAWRENCE-ALEXANDER

The marriage of Miss Mabel Jarvis Lawrence, who has been residing with her uncle and aunt, Prof. and Mrs. John J. Hart of 496 W. Central, and Dr. Ralph Hawthorne Alexander of Los Angeles took place Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in the Methodist Episcopal church of Los Angeles where the late Rev. Charles H. Lawrence, father of the bride, was pastor for many years. The altar was beautifully decorated with greenery and long sprays of almond blossoms.

Rev. George Morrison, uncle of the bride, performed the ceremony, assisted by Rev. Dr. Ford. The bride's uncle, Prof. Hart, gave her in marriage, and Mrs. Gwendolyn Urschel, sister of the groom, was matron of honor. Misses Edna Tuttle and Clara Maynard were bridesmaids, with Esther and Evelyn Lawrence as flower girls. Delmer Urschel was best man and the ushers were Glen Tuttle, John Crippen and Dr. Frank Foster, classmates of the bridegroom.

The bride's gown was of white brocaded chiffon and trimmed with pearls. Her veil was fastened with orange blossoms and she carried a shower of roses and lilies of the valley. Beautiful music was rendered by Mrs. Williams and Dr. Green. An informal reception followed the ceremony. Dr. and Mrs. Alexander will make their home in Los Angeles.

SMILES

A friend of ours who is a keen observer remarks about the power of a smile and relates an observation of his on a street car the other day.

A man was looking out of the car window. Something he noticed in the street caused him to smile broadly. People sitting near him noticed the smile and wondered.

When the smile did not fade away the girl across the aisle reached down and gave her skirt a downward tug.

The man with a wart on his nose turned sideways, so that the wart could not be observed.

The young fellow and his girl suddenly brought their voices down to a mere whisper and the girl blushed prettily, while the boy shifted his position uneasily.

The little man who had been shopping for his wife and was loaded down with bundles did his best to look haughty, and command an air of quiet dignity.

The old negro mammy muttered something about white folks having no manners nowadays, always laughing at black folks.

The smiling man himself noticed none of these things and smiled on at the recollection of the incident in the street.—Hemet News.

VOTED TWICE FOR LINCOLN

M. W. Copps is one of the few men who can claim the distinction of having voted twice for Abraham Lincoln for president. Mr. Copps cast his first presidential ballot for Lincoln at Lowell, Mass., in 1860, and voted for him again in 1864. He takes a pardonable pride in the fact and wonders if there are any other residents of Sierra Madre in the same class.

Charlie Downs, with his wife and little daughter of Exeter, is spending the week visiting his mother, Mrs. M. O. Downs of West Montecito avenue.

During the absence of Charlie Ellis, the proprietor of the Busy Bee Cafe, who left for a business trip to Pennsylvania, the cafe is in the capable hands of Chef John Protz.

Orion Slowest Moving Star.
The slowest moving stars are the extremely hot bluish Orion stars with a speed of about eight miles a second, while the most rapidly moving stars are the deep-red stars with an average velocity of 21 miles a second.

FINE TALENT FOR THE O. E. S. VAUDEVILLE

Plans for the "Rompers of 1924," vaudeville to be given on the last night of February under auspices of the Order of the Eastern Star, indicate a splendid entertainment. So far public announcement has not been made of the details of the program. It is understood, however, that the numbers will include singles, doubles and various other combinations in great variety.

Uniform prices of 75 cents will be charged, with no reserved seats. As indicated by the title, the show will be strictly a "good time" affair and worthy of "big time" booking.

PARENT-TEACHER MEETING WEDNESDAY

The regular meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association will be held next Wednesday, Feb. 20, at 3 p.m., in the kindergarten building. Mrs. C. C. Noble, state membership chairman, will be the speaker. Members of the association who have had the pleasure of hearing Mrs. Noble in the past will be glad to know she is coming again. It is hoped that every member can be present.

The paper drive is still on. The children are asked to bring the papers each Saturday morning this month from 8 to 12, to the old Norris store room. Proceeds from the sale will help meet the deficit of the school lunch room. If you have any old papers, bundle them up and send them along.

W. C. Kennedy, superintendent of the W. J. Barlow estate, has just received from Philadelphia a pen of five hens and one rooster of a splendid Columbian Wyandotte strain. He has already taken all the prizes in the shows where he has exhibited his Wyandottes, but is constantly improving his stock.

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FINAL DRIVE ON PLAN FOR HIGHWAY SIGNS

H. L. Wood of Inglewood, a well known real estate broker, has leased one of M. A. DeTemple's houses and brought his family to Sierra Madre for a while. While he has been actively engaged in the real estate market in southwest Los Angeles, he believes one of the areas of greatest activity in the near future is in this vicinity. He has already acquired some interests in the valley and is dividing his time there and in his former field.

Mr. and Mrs. Schepmoes of New York City arrived on Tuesday to spend several months with Mr. and Mrs. George P. Rikeman of 19 West Live Oak.

NEWS WANTADS PAY

The Chamber of Commerce expects to complete its campaign for raising money for the installation of Sierra Madre electric signs over the Foothill Boulevard by the 27th of this month. Contributions are still being received. Subscriptions being brought into the office will be augmented by those to be secured by committees operating in various districts of the city. District chairmen have been appointed and many of the committees have taken the field. To avoid delay the chamber urges that residents have their money all ready for the committee when they call or—better yet—turn in donations to the secretary at the office.



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FOR SALE—Goat milk; Black 19.

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PIANOS—New and used; grands and players, at sacrifice; Pasadena Transfer Co., 55 So. Marengo, Pasadena, Calif.

16*21

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18*20

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WANTED TO RENT—Unfurnished house; living rm., dining rm., 2 bedrooms and sleeping porch; call Blue 71.

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EXCHANGES

EXCHANGE—Furnished house and rear cottage at Santa Cruz overlooking Monterey Bay; large grounds; on carline, \$6,000. Want home or other property in South. Owner, Box 234, Glendale, Cal.</